

REGULAR SESSION RUSH COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APRIL 8, 2013

The Rush County Board of Commissioners met in regular session, Monday, April 8, 2013 with Commissioners, Bruce Levi, Mark Bacon, Ken Masters, Mary Ann Beard, Auditor, and Leigh Morning, County Attorney in attendance.

Commissioner Bruce Levi called the meeting to order. Ken Masters made the motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of March 25, 2013 as presented. Mark Bacon seconded the motion. Motion carried.

ECDC

John McCane, ECDC executive director was present to invite county officials to a presentation by Jeff Quyle of Hoosier Energy on tax abatements granted by city and county councils. The class will be held in the Rush County Assembly Room at approximately 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 10th.

HIGHWAY

Superintendent Jerry Sitton submitted his monthly report. He explained that the Local Road & Street fund had increased due to heavy collection of wheel tax associated with the sale of license plates. Sitton said there continues to be a push for the legislature to increase road funding and the county's insurance company sent copies of denied claims for the loss of mailboxes during the recent snow storm. The highway was asked to spread gravel in the county lot at the site of the recycling bins.

SHERIFF

Sheriff Jeff Sherwood reported 40 inmates in the Rush County Jail. Sherwood requested that a 2008 Dodge Durango be used for a trade-in on a new sheriff's vehicle. Mark Bacon moved to sign the title and Ken Masters seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

AUDITOR

Auditor Mary Ann Beard presented newly designed digitized forms created by the auditor's staff to be utilized for the submission of claims, payroll, and mileage. The forms have been approved by the State Board of Accounts and are being tested in the auditor's office at this time. June 1st is the proposed roll out date for the new forms.

MISC

- Claims were approved on a motion by Ken Masters and seconded by Mark Bacon.
- Payroll was approved by Mark Bacon's motion and Ken Master's second.

Motion to adjourn was received from Mark Bacon. Ken Masters seconded the motion. Motion carried.

/s/ Bruce Levi
Bruce Levi, Chairman

/s/ Mark Bacon
Mark Bacon

/s/ Ken Masters
Ken Masters

ATTEST:

/s/ Mary Ann Beard
Mary Ann Beard, Auditor